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Filed : January 9, 2002  
Title : SUB-MICRON HIGH INPUT VOLTAGE TOLERANT  
INPUT OUTPUT (I/O) CIRCUIT WHICH  
ACCOMMODATES LARGE POWER SUPPLY  
VARIATIONS

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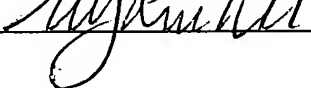
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